by the county payable primarily or exclusively from taxes levied in or on, or other revenues of, special taxing areas or districts heretofore or hereafter established by law, and (c) bonds or other evidences of indebtedness issued for self-liquidating and other projects payable primarily or exclusively from the proceeds of assessments or charges for special benefits or services, shall not be subject to, or be included as bonds or evidences of indebtedness in computing or applying, said 15 per centum limitation.

[(2)] (II) Any local law authorizing the borrowing of money or issuance of bonds or other evidences of indebtedness shall be submitted to the registered voters of the county for approval or rejection, if a petition for such submission is filed pursuant to the provisions of the charter and local laws of the county. If the charter contains no such provisions, any local law authorizing the borrowing of money or issuance of bonds or other evidences of indebtedness shall be submitted to the registered voters of the county for approval or rejection, if a petition for such submission, bearing the signatures of 10 per centum or more of such voters, is filed with the board of supervisors of elections of the county within 75 days after the enactment of such local law.

(2) THE BONDS, NOTES, AND ANY OTHER EVIDENCES OF OBLIGATION ISSUED UNDER THIS SECTION, THEIR TRANSFER, THE INTEREST PAYABLE ON THEM, AND ANY INCOME DERIVED FROM THEM, INCLUDING ANY PROFIT REALIZED IN THEIR SALE OR EXCHANGE, SHALL BE EXEMPT AT ALL TIMES FROM EVERY KIND AND NATURE OF TAXATION BY THIS STATE, OR BY ANY OF ITS POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS, MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS OR PUBLIC AGENCIES OF ANY KIND.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1977.

Approved April 29, 1977.

CHAPTER 235

(Senate Bill 1121)

AN ACT concerning

State Mental Retardation Facilities - Costs

FOR the purpose of changing the effective date of liability for certain costs based upon Federal income tax return; and specifying the initial date of liability and the effective date of any change of liability based upon election of schedule.